

Clean Air	Energy Efficiency/Conservation	Hazardous Chemicals Management/Reduction	Land and Water Conservation	Solid Waste Reduction
Use EPA Tools for Schools to investigate Indoor Air Quality, then remediate an Indoor Air Quality problem – mold, moisture, ozone, etc.	Use TVA or ECD (Economic and Community Development) to perform an energy audit of your school, then take action	Inventory school chemicals – labs, cleaning supplies, art supplies, office supplies. Substitute for toxics, secure storage, and dispose of waste properly	Monitor all sinks for running water and leaky plumbing (Energy Patrol)	Change to washable plates, utensils, cups, and trays
Organize a Ride-sharing program to reduce ozone outside your school	Form an Energy Patrol to save energy and money (we have info on Energy Patrols)	Start a microchemistry program in your high school to minimize purchasing and waste	Change sink faucets to automatic shut-off or sensors	Start a cafeteria composting program
Institute Integrated Pest Management (IPM) to improve indoor air quality	Regulate thermostat set-points for seasonal changes, nights, weekends, vacations	Institute Integrated Pest Management to reduce student and staff exposure to chemicals	Install low-flush toilets and waterless urinals	Start a school recycling program for paper, cardboard, newspaper, plastic, aluminum
Celebrate Clean Air Month with an ozone-action event in May (Clean Air Month) or on Earth Day (April 22)	Set all computer monitors on energy-saver mode	Eliminate all mercury from your school, including fluorescent bulbs	Put all watering equipment on timers; water only in early morning or evening; be sure not to water asphalt & concrete	Add a new commodity to your already-existing recycling program
	Change Exit Signs to LED-type	Dispose of old electronic equipment (computers, TVs, VCRs) through donation, recycling, or as hazardous waste	Look for erosion problems on school grounds; repair and restore vegetation	Collect printer cartridges, cell phones, and plastic grocery bags to earn money (ask us!)
	Upgrade fluorescent lights to T-8 bulbs and electronic ballasts	Collect used batteries and dispose at Household Hazardous Waste event in your county		Research and buy products made from recycled materials
	Remove lights from vending machines or put on vending-miser sensors			Celebrate America Recycles Day Nov. 15 with a contest or event
	Celebrate Energy Awareness Month with an event in October			